

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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COLD ENVIRONMENTS  
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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 14, 2009, please consider the remarks set forth below.

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**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.